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IS NEW SECRETARY

GEO. A. PICKENS BACK TO THE COMMERCIAL CLUB

WAS CLUB'S FIRST SEC'TY

Aided In Organization Eleven Years Ago — Will Continue to Operate His Manufacturing Business

George A. Pickens of Maryville has been chosen secretary of the Commercial Club in place of E. M. Claypool, who recently resigned to reenter newspaper work, having accepted the editorship of the Clayton, Mo., Watchman-Advocate. Mr. Pickens will begin his duties as secretary at once.

Mr. Pickens returns to Commercial Club work after an absence of eleven years, having acted as secretary for two years of Maryville's first commercial organization. Since that time he has been engaged in the manufacturing business in Maryville, being president of the Free Light Acetylene Generator & Mfg. Co.

Conditions brought about by the war have made it possible for Mr. Pickens to accept the secretaryship of the club. Due to government needs, material used in many lines are practically denied manufacturers and Mr. Pickens' business has been brought practically to a standstill. The manufacture and installation of light plants will not be discontinued, however, as Mr. Pickens will continue to look after his private interests, but will devote the greater part of his time to promoting the interests of Maryville in his capacity as secretary of the Commercial Club.

Mr. Pickens, as the first secretary of the club, served two years, drawing no salary for his services, and it was largely due to his efforts that the organization was placed on a permanent and substantial basis that has resulted in an organization of business men that has been an important factor in the growth and progress of Maryville, and it is with much gratification that the club directors have been enabled to induce him to again take up the work.

In his business connections during the past twelve years Mr. Pickens has not only been most successful, but has developed a wide acquaintance with and has the confidence of farmers and business men throughout this and adjoining counties, which will prove a valuable asset in his capacity as secretary.

Day Pumper Was On the Job.

Dave Cornett, day man at the water works pumping station, declares that it takes steam to operate the plant and that booze won't do the work. Following the draining of the water from the mains shortly after midnight yesterday by a drunken employee, Mr. Cornett was called from his home and by hard work succeeded in having the plant in operation before any serious damage was done.

REVOLUTION IN BULGARIA?

London, Sept. 3.—A revolution has broken out in Bulgaria, according to a report today from Berne. A report not confirmed from any source says that the Royal Palace plaza was blown up by revolutionists and that wholesale desertions ar eoccurring in the Bulgarian army.

John Owen Murrin Here.

John Owen Murrin of St. Louis arrived in Maryville yesterday to spend a month visiting his father, John Murrin, and his sister, Mrs. G. R. Cornelius.

REV. W. M. CASE IN FRANCE

Former Presbyterian Pastor Here Goes Abroad to Do Y. M. C. A. Work—Congregation Looks After Church

The Rev. William Moll Case, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church in this city, is now on his way to France, going to work with the Y. M. C. A. He left his home at Eugene, Ore., several weeks ago and word has not yet been received of his arrival there.

In a letter to friends in Maryville, Mrs. Case writes that she has been left in charge of the church work and with the assistance of the laymen and congregation, they will carry on the church services during Mr. Case's absence. Her mother, who has been spending some time at Eugene, returned to Iowa last month for a short visit, after which she will go back to Eugene to make her home with Mrs. Case during her husband's absence.

TOMORROW ST. JOSEPH DAY

Nodaway County Fair Managers Will Be Host to Buchanan Countyites—Large Delegation Is Expected

With tomorrow having been designated "St. Joseph Day" at the fair, and following an invitation to the people of that city by Secretary E. H. Bainum through Frank A. Moore, president of the Commercial Club, and Frederick Neudorff, president of the Retail Merchants' Association, a large delegation from the Buchanan county town is expected. If the weather permits it is learned that many will come in motor cars. The invitation extended by Secretary Bainum was as follows:

"Wednesday, September 4, has been designated St. Joseph Day at the Nodaway County Fair, and the directors of the association have instructed me to extend to you and through you to the business and professional men of your city, a very cordial invitation to attend our fair on this day.

"The relations between your city and Maryville always have been cordial, and our people are pleased because this opportunity is to be presented to again welcome you all to be our guests for this day. You will find a speed program at our fair that is not often duplicated, and the horse show at night is certain to present some of the finest saddle and harness horses to be seen at any fair in this section of the country this fall.

"With the hope that the people of St. Joseph will find it convenient to accept this invitation and that they will enjoy the day as much as our people will enjoy the opportunity to entertain them, I am,

"Yours sincerely,

"E. H. BAINUM."

EXHIBIT SCOTCH CATTLE

Edwin Caldwell to Display Prize Winners at County Fair for Benefit of the Red Cross

Edwin Caldwell of Burlington Junction will have an exhibition of thoroughbred Scotch cattle at the fair this week which will be shown for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Mr. Caldwell has some very fine stock which has won numerous ribbons at stock shows. Tickets for admission to the tent to see these cattle will be sold by Red Cross workers in uniform at the fair grounds.

114 OUT OF TOWN STUDENTS

Normal Enrollment First Day Indicates Good Attendance

One hundred and fourteen out of town students had registered for enrollment at the Normal for the fall term at noon today. Of this number fifteen were male students. The morning and noon trains brought a number of others who will register today and tomorrow when they have found boarding places.

Persia is the land of the white camel. These animals are only five feet in height.

NODAWAY FAIR IS ON

THE OPENING DAY BRINGS GOOD CROWD DESPITE WEATHER

EVENTS ON SCHEDULE

Entries In All Departments, Especially In Live Stock Classes, Are Much Larger Than In Former Years

WEDNESDAY'S PROGRAM.

Morning—

9:30—Judging draft horses.
Judging Hereford cattle.
Judging poultry.
Judging hogs—all classes.
Judging floral hall exhibits.

Afternoon—

1:30—Races: 2:18 pace; purse $300
½ mile running race; purse $100.
¾ mile running—Elks Special purse $100.
2:25 trot; purse $300.
⅝ mile running race; purse $100.

Night—

Horse Show: Five gaited horses will be shown in five classes in which purses totaling $555 are offered.

Despite the heavy rains of the last two days the track is in really excellent condition and will in no way retard action of the races today. The first race called was a 2:35 trot, mile heat, 3 in 5, for a purse of $300.

The first two heats were won by Sylvan Girl, first time 2:27¼, second 2:28, owned by Gus Hoselton, Milan, Mo. Other horses entered were Max, owned by Otto Thieson, St. Joseph; Trixie Highwood, owned by Frank Trego, Kansas City; Bess McKinney, owned by John Breezley, Greenfield, Ia., and Dan Birmingham, owned by P. J. Jackman, Grand Island, Nebr.

Four running races are on for the afternoon also.

With threatening skies and weather that made wraps feel comfortable, the crowd at the opening day of the fair this afternoon was even larger than was expected. The promise of good racing with plenty of entries in the various events proved an attraction not to be passed up for bad weather—and the crowd was not disappointed. The program started on schedule time, the entries in the first race facing the starter at 1:30 o'clock. There were no waits after that.

The rain of Sunday night prevented some exhibitors from getting in with their live stock until late yesterday and some were even delayed until this morning, but for the most part the various divisions are well filled. So great has been the demand for stable space that the arrival of late comers with horses, mules and cattle and various other exhibits were forced to find quarters wherever they might. The fair management, however, will endeavor to have everybody comfortably placed by tonight. Patrons of the fair will be glad to learn that the spanking team owned by Don Riley of St. Joseph will again be seen in the show ring. Mr. Riley's horses were last seen here two years ago and excited much admiration. One of the horses was injured in an accident on the back stretch, but has entirely recovered, the team having been returned winners in state and county fairs this year. The art display by Mrs. Greenfield of St. Joseph did not arrive until noon today, due to the owner's illness since she was here last week.

The only township to enter competition for the $150 offered for the best agricultural exhibit was Polk township, with a large and varied display of all kinds of grains, vegetables and fruits. Several individual exhibits also contain a larger variety than is usually seen.

The judging of jacks and mules was

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We, the undersigned, agree to close our places of business on Wednesday and Thursday of this week from 1:30 to 5:00 on account of the County Fair:

SCHUMACHER,
REMUS,
TOWNSEND'S,
T. F. REIMER,
C. BUHLER,
A. STAPLER.

BIGGEST HIGH SCHOOL

Enrollment Today 258 Compared to 221 Last Year—Some of Classes Will Have to Be Divided

The enrollment of the high school was 258 today as compared to 221 last year, being an increase of thirty-seven. Superintendent McDonald expects the enrollment to run to 270. The freshman classes in algebra, English and history are so large that they will have to be divided. The new commercial course is proving an attraction and is now up to the maximum with from twelve to fifteen on the waiting list.

The first military drill of the high school boys under the direction of Harry D. Snyder, captain of the home guards, was held yesterday afternoon.

Superintendent McDonald had no figures on the grade school enrollment, but he expect sit to be normal.

WE MUST STILL SAVE FLOUR

The Removal of Restrictions Does Not Mean There Is No Need of Conserving, Says Administrator

Under the new flour rules, which became effective September 1, the limit as to quantity which a family may purchase is removed and the only restriction remaining is that one pound of substitute flour must be bought with each four pounds of wheat flour, or you may buy a flour which already contains the substitutes in the proper proportion.

Many people seem to think that the flour which has been on the market all winter and summer contains substitutes, but it does not and is composed entirely of wheat, but in a short time the mills will put on the market a flour which does contain the substitutes and it will be labeled showing just what is in it.

The removal of the restriction as to the quantity which you may buy does not mean that there is no need of conserving wheat flour, and conservation is still very necessary. Under an agreement of all of the Allied nations, the bread of all of them will contain one pound of substitutes for every four pounds of wheat flour, and the food administration is putting the American housewife on her honor to use the one pound substitute and four of wheat flour in making mixed bread; then the bakers' bread will be made the same and the whole nation and the Allies will be on equal footing. Don't make straight wheat bread; you will be a slacker if you do.

Use all the corn bread you can, and buy the meal for the corn bread separate from the substitute you buy with your flour. Don't waste any wheat flour or bread. Buy only what you require for your immediate needs, as the rule against hoarding of food stuffs is still in effect, and if the people show a disposition to accumulate stocks of flour stringent regulations as to quantities which may be bought will again be put into effect.

Let's be fair to our government and our Allies and use the mixed bread as requested and save all we can.

F. P. ROBINSON.
U. S. Food Administrator for Nodaway County, Missouri.

998 TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Of Those Named 133 Were Killed In Action, 322 Were Wounded Severely and 210 Were Missing

Washington, Sept. 3.—One of the largest casualty lists yet received was reported today by the commander of the American Expeditionary Forces and contained 988 names, divided as follows:

Killed in action	133
Missing in action	210
Wounded severely	322
Died of wounds	30
Died of accident and other causes	5
Died of disease	9
Wounded, degree undetermined	288
Died of airplane accident	1
Total	988

Dance

at W. O. W. HALL

Thursday Night
September Fifth

20TH CEN. CONVENES

TWELFTH ANNUAL REASSEMBLY OF WOMEN'S CLUB TODAY

55 MEMBERS ON ROSTER

Music Department Discontinued This Year—Others Will Carry On Work As Usual For 1918-1919

For twelve consecutive years the Twentieth Century club has assembled the first week in September for its year's work. The opening for the 1918-19 period was held today at the Elks club and it was made of more than usual social interest because of the approaching nuptials of the president, Miss Ruth Montgomery, whose marriage to Mr. Lawrence Ogden takes place tomorrow morning. The gathering was held in the lodge rooms of the Elks club. After a short address of welcome by the president, the chairman of each department outlined the work of her division for the year. The membership is divided into three divisions this year, Shakespeare, tourist and arts and crafts. The music division is discontinued. Mrs. G. B. Holmes, chairman of the Shakespeare department, gave an outline of their study which will include Anthony and Cleopatra, with one month devoted to the study of Shakespeare's music. The Tourist department, with Mrs. F. S. King chairman, will travel by books and pictures through the countries of South America and the Arts and Crafts, with Mrs. Elmer Fraser instructor, will devote its time to reed work and knitting. The membership this year includes Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. M. J. Alderman, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Mrs. Lincoln Bent, Miss Bertha Beal, Mrs. C. D. Bellows, Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mrs. Arthur Brewer, Mrs. B. M. Chandler, Mrs. S. A. Coile, Mrs. Anderson Craig, Mrs. A. M. Crooke, Mrs. E. M. Claypool, Mrs. L. G. Crossan, Mrs. John Curnutt, Miss Lucie Davis, Mrs. L. E. Dean, Mrs. Jessie Douglas, Mrs. Charles Eckert, Mrs. Ed Egley, Mrs. Elmer Fraser, Mrs. John Gray, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. A. F. Harvey, Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Mrs. L. R. Holt, Mrs. A. W. Hoover, Miss Theresa Hunt, Mrs. F. S. King, Mrs. P. O. Landon, Miss Grace Langan, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Miss Alma Nash, Mrs. Ed G. Orear, Mrs. H. L. Raines, Mrs. C. F. Remus, Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode, Mrs. C. B. Roberts, Mrs. C. Q. Smith, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Miss Bessie Todd, Mrs. F. M. Townsend, Miss Bettie Turner, Mrs. W. W. Turner, Mrs. Frank White, Mrs. L. E. White and Mrs. Fred Wolfers. Following the business meeting a luncheon was served carried out in the club colors of lavender and white. Miss Montgomery was presented with a wedding gift from the club. The committee on arrangements for the afternoon was composed of Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Wolfers, Mrs. Hellmers and Mrs. Rickenbrode.

ELROD FUNERAL TOMORROW

Services for Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Elrod of Elmo at the Christian Church

Funeral services for Miss Laura Elrod, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Elrod of Elmo, who died yesterday, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Christian church of Elmo conducted by the Rev. Bailey. Burial will be in the Possum Walk cemetery.

Miss Elrod was 21 years old and had been a sufferer for several months with tuberculosis. She is survived by her parents and one brother, Bert Elrod, and four sisters, Mrs. Dannah Pruitt, Mrs. Lloyd Lamar and Marlee and Vivian Elrod. All live at Elmo except Mrs. Pruitt, who resides at Clearmont.

Returns to Illinois.

Mrs. F. W. Burnham of Chapin, Ill., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White of this city, left yesterday for Marshalltown, Ill., where she will visit before returning home.

Haines Employe Returns.

Miss Clara Sherlock returned this morning to her work in the Haines store after a two weeks' vacation spent with relatives at Topeka and Frankford, Kans.

ALL SAVE SUGAR FOR CAKE

People of Elmo to Make Pershing Day, Sept. 13, the Best Patriotic Event of Any Held There

The people of Elmo are making every preparation to have Pershing Day celebration on September 13, one of the most enthusiastic patriotic affairs of any given in the county. Each person in the community has been asked to save a spoonful of sugar each day for the making of the huge birthday cake, which is to be the feature of the big picnic dinner at noon.

Parades, speeches and music, a ball game and athletic events will be the entertainment for the day.

HIKED THE ASSESSMENTS

Court as a Board of Equalization Raised Several at Burlington Junction, Barnard and Clearmont

The county court met as a board of equalization yesterday and hiked the assessment of several in this county. The following assessments were raised:

Barnard—N. L. Pearce & Son, from $250 to $500; Hagan Bros., from $75 to $150.

Burlington Junction—Rees Lumber Co., from $2,000 to $2,500; Praiswater Furniture Store, from $1,200 to $1,500; Lane & McKnight, from $1,000 to $1,250; W. W. Jones, from $500 to $1,000.

Clearmont—W. W. Jones, from $300 to $500; Caldwell garage was reduced from $2,500 to $500; Otis Pence at $200; Ned Smith at $200; J. E. Hornbuckle at $200.

The Independent Oil Company at Hopkins was assessed at $500. The Mound City Light Co., was assessed at $8,000.

IS FORMALLY RECOGNIZED

The Czecho-Slovaks Reorganized for Prosecuting the War Against the Common Enemy

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The United States today formally recognized the Czecho-Slovak national council as a defacto belligerent government clothed with proper authority to direct military and political affairs of the Czecho-Slovak peoples. It recognized that a state of belligerency exists between the Czecho-Slovaks and German and Austro-German peoples. It also announced it is prepared to enter formally into relations with the defacto government. The government is thus recognized for the purpose of prosecuting the war against the common enemy.

SHELLED BY A GERMAN SUB.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The steamship West Haven was shelled by a German submarine four hundred miles off of Halifax, but escaped according to reports of the navy department.

Files Suit on Note.

A suit on notes was filed in the circuit clerk's office yesterday afternoon by John Campbell against James T. Wells. S. E. Browne is the attorney for the plaintiff.

Miss Wray to Chicago.

Miss Nellie Wray left this afternoon for Chicago, where she will teach the coming year in the Lake Shore Conservatory of that city.

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nielsen announce the birth of a son born yesterday. He has been named Burt Rowley Nielsen.

Guest of Warren Jones.

Dr. F. P. Culverson of Greenfield, Ia., arrived in the city today to spend a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jones.

Return From Western Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Frank and daughter, Eva Margaret, and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad returned Sunday from a three weeks auto trip through Colorado and Wyoming.

Guests at Gray Home.

Mrs. John Johnson and small daughter arrived in the city last night from St. Joseph to spend the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gray.

BRITISH ARE STILL MAKING BIG ADVANCE

HAMBLAIN, SEVEN MILES FROM DOUAI CAPTURED BY THE BRITISH—CAMBRAI WILL SOON BE UNDER FIRE

HUNS IN RETREAT

GUN FIRE FROM LONG RANGE ARTILLERY WILL RENDER DOUAI USELESS TO THE GERMANS AS A BASE

LENS AND QUEANT TAKEN

The Capture of Lens Is a Feat of the Utmost Military Importance and the Germans Fought Desperately to Hold the City

London, Sept. 3.—Hamblain, seven miles southeast, and the German key position of Douai, have been captured by the British. The Germans are retiring protected by such rear guards as they are able to muster. Cambrai will soon be under effective fire from the British long range artillery and gunfire will render Douai useless to the Germans as a base.

With the British Army on the Flanders Front, Sept. 3.—The Germans are reported to be in wholesale retreat. Amidst scenes of the greatest confusion opposite the third British army to the south of the Somme where the English and Canadians smashed the Hindenburg switch line yesterday, the British swept past Barastre eastward to Doignies, Annvelu and Bertincourt close to the high woods in that district, it is unofficially stated.

London, Sept. 3—The British advanced two miles to eastward of the Wotan line and are now three miles from the new German defense line. The new line is west of Puinsy and past Pronville, which the Allies now hold, thence west of Boursit. The British hold Doignies, Bertincourt and Roquigny. This represents an advance of four miles on a twenty-mile front. When the British moved into Queant and Peronne they found both places unoccupied. Contrary to expectations no German counter attacks were delivered south of the Scarpe.

London, Sept. 3.—The British are advancing on a wide front in northern France and Belgium, having taken Lens, Queant and Wulvergham, it was learned by the International News Service this afternoon. The Germans under terrific blows of the British evacuated Lens and Wulvergham, following which the British continued their drive today, advancing four miles on a front of twenty miles, smashing all enemy resistance. A large number of prisoners were captured early today. By a powerful drive against the southern end of the Wotan line the British occupied Queant. Lens is the key to the French coal fields which the Germans have held since the early days of the war. Queant is the chief bastion on which the southern end of the Wotan switch line

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THE WEATHER

Showers tonight and Wednesday; cooler tonight.

School Supplies

Note Books, Tablets, Pencils, Fountain Pens, Crayons, Water Colors, Erasers, Loose Leaf Covers and Fillers, Various Papers.

Everything in Stationery.

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Quality and Service.

Feature Tonight

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Greater Vitagraph Co., with
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Versatile dramatic artist, in

The Golden Goal

The thing several are after.

Tomorrow, "Brown of Harvard."

Tomorrow, "Rose of the World."

GERMAN FUNERAL AT GRAHAM

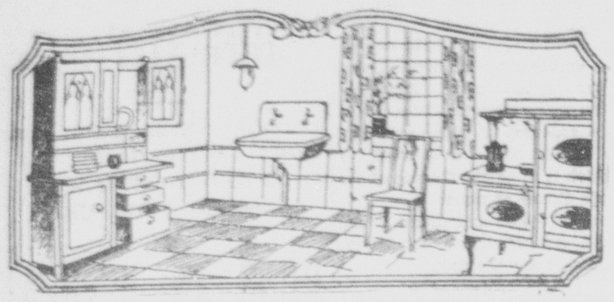
Former Resident Died Last Night at Home In Lucas, Ia.

Funeral services for J. H. German, a former resident of Graham, who died Saturday at his home at Lucas, Ia., were held Sunday at the Graham Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. D. Harlan. The body was interred in the Graham cemetery.

Mr. German was a resident of Graham for about thirty years and moved to Lucas four years ago. He is survived by his wife and eight children. The children are Mrs. Effie Kennedy, Mrs. Jesse Nicholas and Mrs. Hugh Nicholas of Graham, Mrs. Ocie Edwards of Lucas, Ia., Loren German of Liberty, Nebr., Otto, Raymond and Velma at home. A sister, Mrs. Milton Kennedy, and a brother, Ed German, live at Burlington Junction, and a sister, Mrs. Ella Latham, lives at Esbon, Kans.

Prof. C. G. Marrel Here.

Prof. C. G. Marrel, superintendent of the public schools at Atchison, Ks., arrived in the city last night to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris.



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We have an excellent stock of cabinets, from the celebrated STERLING down to lower priced cabinets, all well made and containing the many features that make a cabinet such a saving in time, work and food.

You should look over the various styles of Kitchen Cabinets in our stock—it will give you a choice both in style and price that would be hard to find ordinarily.

We still have a few of the

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J. E. BAILEY, Mgr.

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Miss Ford On Vacation.

Miss Gladys Ford, who is employed at the Haines store, left yesterday for Rapid City, S. Dak., where she will spend a two weeks vacation with her sister, Miss Alice Ford.

Kansas Visitors Leave.

Mrs. Bernard Patterson and small daughter of Alton, Kans., who have been visiting Mrs. Patterson's aunt, Mrs. J. T. Karr, have returned to their home.

Harry Danner Home.

Harry Danner, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Danner, living southwest of the city, returned Saturday night fro ma visit of several weeks with relatives at Yuma and Otis, Colo.

Miss Sturm Home.

Miss Marie Sturm, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Maud Thull of Pickering returned to her home yesterday.

Returns to Des Moines.

Miss Lou Garrett left this morning for her home in Des Moines, Ia., after a few days' visit in Maryville with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Garrett.

Dr. J. H. Tandy, chiropodist and foot specialist is at the Franklin Hotel. Dr. Tandy treats all foot ailments. Phone 4546 for appointments. Will make residence calls for ladies. 30tf

Miss Katherine Grimes has returned from a month's vacation and resumed her work yesterday at the Graham-Latimer store.

BACKACHE KILLS!

Don't make the fatal mistake of neglecting what may seem to be a "simple little backache." There isn't any such thing. It may be the first warning that your kidneys are not working properly, and throwing off the poisons as they should. If this is the case, go after the cause of that backache and do it quickly, or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease.

GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney and bladder troubles, which may be the unsuspected cause of general ill health. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules are imported direct from the laboratories in Holland. They are prepared in correct quantity and convenient form to take, and are positively guaranteed to give prompt relief, or your money will be refunded. Get them at any drug store, but be sure to insist on the GOLD MEDAL brand, and take no other. In boxes, three sizes.

LEO RONEY HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Fired On By Machine Gun But Escapes Unhurt With Companions

Leo Roney, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Roney, living four miles north of Maryville, writes the following letter to his brother, Ollie:

"France, Aug. 23.

"I am back from the front again. Was under shell fire sixty-four days. I didn't know I was tired until I was back with nothing to do and got cleaned up, but feel now like I could sleep a whole week. I have a good place to rest here. I have sure been through the bumps and would like to see the Dutch suffer all that we have. Our outfit sure made a reputation for itself this time. They never stop when they start. I have had a few narrow escapes. My pal was killed right beside me. Another time I left my tent just before nine holes were shot through it by shrapnel. Again a small body of us were fired on by machine guns and some shrapnel, but none of us were hurt. That was the worst place I have been in yet. But you ought to see what the Dutch have been getting. Headrick, Hoshor and I had a time keeping in touch with one another. We are all O. K. now and since we came together have been spending some enjoyable evenings together. It does one good to see Headrick walking along with a Springfield on his shoulder. He is as broad as he is high and laughing, no matter what danger is ahead. He sure is game. How is Billy (his horse)? I suppose he is as snappy as ever. French horses have their tails docked and they sure look stylish. I see Bagby occasionally; also O'Grady. They are both O. K.

"LEO RONEY."

Co. M, 4th Infantry, A. E. F.

Guests at O. C. Hanna Home.

Mrs. Candace DuBois Jones of Presho, S. Dak., and her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Hemphill of Kansas City, are guests at the home of Mrs. Jones' brother, O. C. Hanna, and Mrs. Hanna.

Caught Shooting Craps.

Constable F. M. Walton of Nodaway township arrested Roy Gunn, Curtis McMillen, Ed Barnes, Dano Barr and Clarence Campbell at Burlington Junction yesterday on a charge of shooting craps. They are to appear at the September term of circuit court.

Physicians Change Offices.

Dr. William Wallis, Sr., and Dr. F. C. Wallis will move their offices to the Physicians Building within the next few days as the local draft board will occupy their building.

Is at Camp Merritt, N. J.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson that their son, Theodore Robinson, has arrived at Camp Merritt, N. J.

Stiwalt Family Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt and daughters, Annette and Audrey, returned yesterday from a visit at Valley Falls, Kans.

Henry Buhler Here.

Henry Buhler, stationed at Camp Custer, Mich., arrived home yesterday to spend ten days' furlough visiting his father, Charles Buhler.

Blouses for Those Who Want to Save

If you have any desire whatever to save on your Blouses, then by all means you should buy them here.

Just stop to consider that we are co-operating with the makers in a manner that **eliminates all selling costs**, and reduces all making costs to a bare mimimum.

Summed up this means **buying** our **Blouses for less**, and in accord with our established principle **selling** them for **less**.

We don't claim the impossible; but we do claim that co-operation of the right kind between manufacturer and retailer cuts cost, eliminates waste and makes **better values impossible**.

And because of such co-operation with the resulting superiority in values, you can always exercise substantial savings on the Blouses you buy here.

A Dollar Blouse That's Worth More

Four New Styles in Wirthmor Waists on Sale Now.

Sold Only in Just One Good Store in Every City.

Here are some good examples of **Thrift** in blouse buying. **Wirthmor Waists**, that would really sell for more, that are worth more, that are prettily styled, dependably made and perfect fitting, and that are still priced at just **$1.00**. See these new models tomorrow, and you'll wonder, as we sometimes do, how it's possible in the face of rising costs to still sell these Waists at this low price.

$2.00 Blouse That Spell T-h-r-i-f-t

These new $2.00 Blouses really spell Thrift with a capital "T."

They possess all the refinement of Style and daintiness of finish that is usually incident to far more costly Blouses.

In fact, were it not for the great savings of the plan under which they were made and sold, they would have to command a much higher price.

When you realize that the identical Blouses are placed on sale here, at the very same price, as in recognized Style centers of the country, then you will understand that these Blouses do in fact offer real opportunity.

New Welworth Blouses Now on Sale.

Haines

The Store Quality and Low Prices Built.

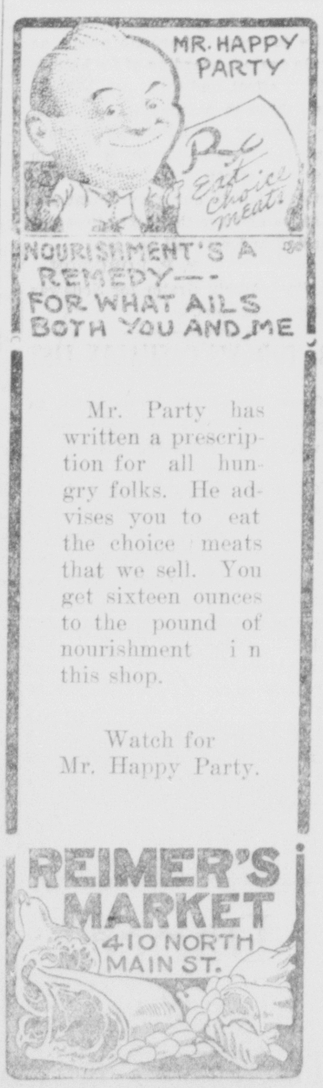
Some Special Bargains

Our stock has been considerably reduced during our closing out sale, but we have the following pianos that we consider exceptional bargains:

Used Cable upright, mahogany case, fine condition $125
Karmann & Son, upright, oak case, rented short time $160
Bond, upright, walnut case, regular $325 value..... $200
Schumann, mahogany case, regular $410 value..... $295
Schumann Player, oak case, regular $750 value..... $450
Gulbransen Player, oak or walnut case, regular $425 $325
Organs worth from $20 to $30..... $5 and $10

This is the last week of our closing out sale. If you want to take advantage of these bargains you must come before Saturday night. Some of these bargains will be gone in a few days. Come Soon.

Landon Music Company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Eat choice meats
NOURISHMENT'S A REMEDY—
FOR WHAT AILS BOTH YOU AND ME
Mr. Party has written a prescription for all hungry folks. He advises you to eat the choice meats that we sell. You get sixteen ounces to the pound of nourishment in this shop.
Watch for Mr. Happy Party.
REIMER'S MARKET
410 NORTH MAIN ST.

NODAWAY FAIR IS ON

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held this morning and the following were the winners:

Best Jack, 3 years old—1st O. J. Wilhoyt; 2nd E. S. Shupe; 3rd Albert Carr.

Best Jack 2 years old and under 3—1st Albert Carr.

Best mule 3 years old and over—1st and 2nd John T. Griffey; 3rd Wm. E. Espey.

Best mule 2 years old and under 3—1st and 2nd W. E. Espey.

Best mule 1 year old and under 2—W. E. Espey.

Best mule team—1st Ivan Espey; 2nd and 3rd George Masters.

Best pair mules any age—1st J. T. Griffey; 2nd Pearl Shell; 3rd George Lucas.

Colonel Woods, Shelbina, Mo., judge in this class.

..... HOLSTEINS.

Best bull under one year old—1st B. F. Goodspeed & Son.

Best cow 3 years or over—1st, 2nd and 3rd B. F. Goodspeed & Son.

Best heifer 2 years old and under 3—1st and 2nd George Lucas.

Best heifer under 1 year—1st and 2nd B. F. Goodspeed & Son.

Best herd—B. F. Goodspeed & Son.

Champion bull any age—B. F. Goodspeed & Son.

Best cow, any age—B. F. Goodspeed & Son.

Judge in this class, Clive Graves, Maryville.

According to a vote taken at a gathering of soldiers in a Y. M. C. A. hut near the front in France, the first and worst sin is cowardice.

ELECTRIC NOW SHOWING **THEATRE**

Our Motto: Fair Play, Quality, Service, Courtesy.

A CASE AT LAW, with Dick Rosson and Pauline Curley. She saved her sweetheart from becoming a drunkard. Comedy—**WAR AND MATRIMONY.**

WEDNESDAY—Irene Castle, the best known, best dressed woman in America, is presented in a thrilling Pathe play, **THE HILLCREST MYSTERY.** Imagine a girl, the daughter of a wealthy man, whose father is shot almost before her very eyes; imagine her sweetheart, whom her father had forbidden her to marry, caught in the dead of night, seeking to open a safe; imagine her seeing her lawyer struck down by an unknown hand just as he is about to read her father's will. Is her lover innocent? Who killed her father? Her lawyer, and why? Also Hearst Pathe latest news.

ASK BOY SCOUTS TO HELP

President Wilson's Appeal Calls Them to Take Part In Making the 4th Liberty Loan a Success

New York, Sept. 3.—A letter from President Wilson, urging every member of the Boy Scouts of America to aid in the fourth Liberty Loan was made public today at the Scouts headquarters here.

"The fact that the Scouts secured 1,322,649 subscriptions, representing $203,169,000 in the previous campaigns is a convincing testimonial to the value of organized boyhood for the kind of patriotic service that is worth while," the president said in his letter addressed to Colin H. Livingstone, president of the Boy Scouts. The loan services of the boys have been "appreciated by the whole nation," he added, and the country "already proud of them," expects effective work during the fourth campaign.

Mr. Livingstone replied to the president by promising the Scouts' coming efforts would "result in even greater service than heretofore."

Members of Maryville troops 1 and 2 will take an active part in the fourth Liberty Loan under the direction of their scoutmasters and working in connection with the county Liberty Loan committee.

England has an organization called the Zetetical Society, the members of which believe the world to be flat like a pancake, instead of round like an orange.

Clergymen of Germany have been urged by the government to fight the hunger unrest by preaching patience until the next harvest.

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

Women's Society to Meet.

The Y. W. F. M. Society of the First M. E. church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Harry Mutz. All members are requested to bring their mite box.

Mrs. Harvey Entertains Bridge Club.

Mrs. Frederic Harvey entertained the members of her bridge club, the Monday Afternoon, and a few friends yesterday afternoon with a bridge tea at her home on North Fillmore street. Miss Lenore Schumacher made the high score. Miss Mildred Crane of St. Joseph, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. M. Claypool, was a visiting guest.

Newly Weds at Home at Colvin Residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Cauffield have returned from their honeymoon trip and will be at home at the James Colvin residence on West Third street where they have apartments. Mrs. Cauffield was Miss Jessie May Bent, prior to her marriage to Mr. Cauffield which took place in August.

Give Watermelon Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry David entertained with a watermelon party Saturday night at their country home three miles south of Maryville, complimentary to Mrs. David's sisters, Misses Myrtle and Lucy Craig. Those present were Misses Freida, Marie and Margaret Sturm, Myrtle and Lucy Craig, Nettie and Rosa Wagner, Hazel Wagner of Houston, Texas, Mae, Gertrude and Edna Sturm, Calvin Craig, Robert Wagoner of Houston, Texas, Edward and Ernest Wagner, Bill and Fred Sturm, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Baker and family.

Guests Arrive for Montgomery-Ogden Wedding.

Among the out of town relatives and friends in the city to attend the marriage of Miss Ruth Montgomery and Mr. Lawrence Ogden which takes place at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, are Mrs. exndace DuBois Jones of Presho, S. D., and daughter, Mrs. H. Hemphill of Kansas City, Mrs. Nellie Jones of Chillicothe, O., cousins of Mrs. Montgomery, W. L. Belden of Bismarck, N. D., an uncle of the groom, Miss Grace McAnulty and Miss Pearl McClurg of St. Joseph.

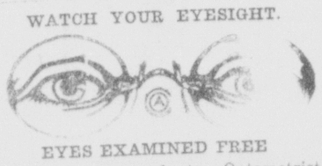
Miss Green Entertains For Miss Koch.

Miss Erma Green entertained a party of friends last night at the Townsend home on East Fourth street, complimentary to Miss Katherine Koch of St. Joseph, who was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Townsend. The prize for the high score was won by Miss Mildred Shinabargar and the guest favor was awarded to Miss Koch. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by her grandmother, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. C. D. Koch and Miss Alice Worst, and the guests were Miss Koch, Miss Elizabeth Leet, Miss Mildred Shinabargar, Miss Mary Carpenter, Miss Martha Koch, Miss Mary Margaret Richey, Miss Mary Angell, Miss Lou Mutz, Misses Ilene and Greta Kemp, Miss Mary Condon, Miss Halcyon Hooker, Miss Mary Lewis, Miss Mildred Bellows, Miss Laura Curfman, Miss Edna Dietz. Miss Koch returned to her home this morning.

THE IDEAL WIFE.

One of the most successful men of this country recently wrote: "Whatever I am, and whatever success I have attained, I owe it all to my wife. She has ever been an inspiration and the greatest helpmate of my life." To be such a successful wife should be the ambition of every woman, but how impossible when dragged down by headaches, backache, dragging-down pains, nervousness and "the blues." Every woman in this condition should start at once to build up her system by a tonic of specific powers, such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for three generations has been restoring American women to health and consequent happiness. Adv.

WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT.



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Come and see the new Fall creations whether interested in buying at present or not—we count it a privilege to show you.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
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New merchandise is arriving daily. Visit the store often and see the new things—you are under no obligations to buy.

Special Exhibit Week

THIS WEEK Nodaway County is to be placed on exhibit in a sense. Our Great Maryville—Nodaway County Fair will be on all week and there is a treat in store for all who come.

The fall season is upon us and the time has arrived when all women are thinking about the fall and winter apparel. In order that you may make your trip to the Fair a profitable business event as well as a pleasure trip, we have on display for your inspection the very newest creations that it was possible to obtain. Our buyers invaded the principal sources of supply—their ready discernment of the needs of this community was the inspiration that prompted the selection of one style and the rejection of another style.

Make this store your headquarters during your visit to the Nodaway County Fair and see our extensive showing of New Styles—you'll enjoy it.

AUTUMN DRESSES

Though no particular feature of this Autumn showing stands out in attractiveness above any other, never-the-less, we are proud of our exceptional array of stylish dresses.

Whether for street wear or for use during the many military social affairs that will be held this season our showing presents some genuine creations to insure positive delight to the wearer.

Silk taffeta, crepe meteor, poplin, crepe de chine, wool serges and velvet and satin combinations are all in the new assortments.

FALL CORSETS

The corset is the foundation of a stylish appearance. Here you will find the style your figure demands and you will get it correctly fitted.

Our new fall Bon Ton, Royal Worcester and American Lady corsets are now on display. The beauty of the new fabrics and the unusual finish make a distinc appeal to the woman who demands superior quality and workmanship.

Come and be fitted to one of the new fall models.

TAILORED SUITS

The Ready to Wear Department is brim full of suggestions for the woman who wishes to be comfortably and stylishly dresses during the coming season.

In spit of the fact that no extreme and radical changes characterize Fashion's decrees this year, there are many little touches of refinment and individuality that are instantly recognized.

Youthful lines dominate in suits of warm autumn tones of green, brown, taupe, plum, gray, wine as well as the ever-popular navy blues and becoming blacks. Serges, poplins, burella cloth, broadcloth, duvet de laine, velour and bolivia cloth are all among the new fall suits.

STYLISH COATS

Coats, too, are full of the suggestion of youth. Stylish street and motor coats are built along straight lines, concealing rather than revealing the figure. There are so many attractive features in the All-American garments of our Fall Showing that there is sure to be a model exactly suited to you.

Broadcloth, Velours, Plushes, Manish Mixtures, and other popular weaves in rich warm tones are here in abundance.

Come in and try on some of the new models.

NECKWEAR

Although many of the frocks are intended to be worn without a touch of relieving whiteness at the throat and wrist, the average woman is going to find this severe neckwear very un-becoming and is demanding relief. All the creative genius of the neckwear field are designing charming collars of Georgette, satin and organdy with wisps of hand embroidery to harmonize with the various necklines of the fall frocks. We now have on display a beautiful assortment of these new collars.

GLOVES

Gloves are an essential part of your winter outfit. We have been scouring the main markets and have succeeded in securing kid and cape gloves in black, white and some of the colors.

While it is impossible to get some colors in the kid gloves, the silk gloves with chamoisette lining and the all chamoisette gloves in black, white and colors, make a very satisfactory substitute. Our glove section is in an excellent position to supply you—we fit the gloves at the counter.

MILLINERY

"It is merely a matter of choice," said our milliner when asked what were the best shapes for fall. The small, the medium and the large hats are all among the new showing and all are stylish. In tailored millinery the dashing upturned brim is a prominent feature. The sailors, turbans, roll brims and drooping brims are all very popular.

For school wear the "trench" hats, "swagger" hats, "ace" hats and other war echo models are used. But for the little lady who dislikes the expression of war in women's dress, the shy poke bonnet and over-turned basket shapes are most favored. A very extensive showing of various shapes in black and colors are on display this week.

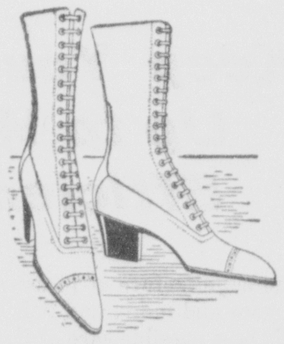
See the Fair Week assortment at each $5.00

Handkerchief's

You must continually keep supplying your stock of handkerchiefs—with the wear and tear of laundering and the losing of some it keeps you busy replenishing your supply.

We have just received a very extensive collection. In this assortment are fine linen, some with fancy embroidered effects, silk crepe in plain and fancy, khaki in cotton and silk and the sheer handkerchiefs in hemstitched effects.

FOOTWEAR FASHIONS



Many of the new fall shoes have arrived. Of special interest are the gray, brown and field mouse kid shoes.

The Louis heels and the military heels are both in strong demand.

The all-kid and those with cloth tops are of equal importance. Many of the new shoes have the caps on toes or the stitched or perforated effect. While the plain narrow toe is also in strong demand.

These new shoes are stylish, comfortable, serviceable and fit perfectly. Come in and be fitted now.

HOSIERY

In spite of the difficulties which we have had to overcome in securing hose, we have collected a wonderful line for fall. The Wayne Knit, Gordon, Phoenix and Topsy hose in black and colors are here to choose from. Whether your wants be for silk, lisle or cotton hose, we can supply you to your entire satisfaction.

DAINTY BLOUSES

Beautiful new blouses in simple designs with dainty style touches that imparts a distinction to the wardrobe this season. Tub silk, pongee, crepe de chine and Georgette crepe in white, flesh and colors, some with beaded effects and others with colored embroidered effects. All are beauties and the height of fashion.

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longer period in the interest of her the world's series is off today on ac-

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Tomorrow, "Rose of the World."

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or intermittent insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—AJAX TIRES GUARANTEED in writing for 5,000 miles. Lower in price than other standard tires. U. S. Copper Cable Co., East side square. 29tf

FOR SALE — Hoosier wheat drill with twelve discs, one-horse Peoria drill, both about as good as new. Albert Appleby, Route 2. Farmers phone 7-21. 31-3

GOOD eating potatoes, $1.75 per bu., delivered in 5-bu. lots anywhere in town; also few spring shoats. Geo. Q. Meek, ½ mile east and ¼ south greenhouse. 2-4*

FOR SALE—200 bu. corn, $1.75 per bu. Herman Heitman. 2-4*

FOR SALE—10 pure bred Shropshire bucks, the good kind, big enough for any purpose. See Dr. K. R. Malotte. 2-4

FOR SALE—Household goods, consisting of one range stove, dresser, beds, dining table, chairs, rockers, stand tables, cubbards, washing machine, tubs, etc. Ina Campbell, 216 E. 6th. 3-5*

FOR SALE—10 head shoats. W. W. McDonald, end of N. Mulberry. 3-5*

LEAVING CITY—Must sell library table, rocker, beds, springs, mattress, floor matting, commodes, window shades. All new goods. Call at 119 W. 4th, opposite Standard Oil Station. 3-5*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Suite of office rooms over Kuchs Bros. store. Paul Sisson. 23-tf

FOR RENT — Good comfortable house for winter. 419 West Sixth St. See S. M. Redfield. 31-3*

FOR RENT—7-room modern house, 364 E. 4th. Call W. O. Garrett. 31-3

FOR RENT — Two clean, modern furnished rooms, for girls. 515 North Fillmore. Farmers phone 206. 30-5*

FOR RENT—6-room house, 816 N. Main; not modern; $9 per month. See Dr. K. R. Malotte. 2-4

FURNISHED ROOMS—Modern, for light housekeeping if preferred. 513 E. 3rd. Hanamo 6684. 3-5*

FOR RENT—Modern 10-room house close in. One 8-room house. See D. F. Angell. 3-5

FOR RENT — Nice, clean rooms, modern and close to Normal. 612 N. Mulberry. 3-5*

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, light, comfortable and home-like. Mrs. J. W. Snapp, 408 E. 7th. 2tf

WANTED

WANTED — To buy 5 or 6 room house. Call Hanamo phone 5460. 31-3

FELLOW AMERICANS — Someone wants your rags, for which I will pay you $3.00 per cwt. Highest price paid for all junk. C. B. Roberts. 30tf

WANTED—At once, a woman to assist in caring for an invalid, not necessarily a nurse. Inquire 512 Prather Ave. 29tf

WANTED—Place on farm for boy 14. Willing to work for board and go to school. Inquire 422 S. Mulberry, Maryville. 2-7*

MISCELLANEOUS

HAVE your feather beds made into feather mattresses. Sanitary Mattress Co. Hanamo 440. 31-3

HAVE your old mattresses made over by Sanitary Mattress Co., Hanamo 440. 31-3

GOVERNMENT CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS, Missouri, in September. Government clerk, railway mail, teacher, immigrant inspector, typewriter, research clerk. Salary $1200—$2000. Experience unnecessary. Men, women desiring government positions write for free particulars, J. C. Leonard (former Civil Service examiner) 47 Kenois Building, Washington. 31-5*

JUST RECEIVED — Car load of shorts; also have plenty of coal. Glover & Alexander. 3-5

THREE good city properties for sale, acre and 2-acre tracts. See John Hansen and property. Make your offer. 3-5*

LOST—Mud chain between Union school and Orrsburg on Harmony road. Leave at Democrat-Forum office. 2-4*

LOST—Nickel plated rim for auto headlight between Arkoe and Barnard. Notify Art Garten at Townsend's, 2-4

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, Sept. 3.—CORN—September corn $1.62½; October $1.62.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Sept. 3.—CATTLE — Receipts, 22,000; steers, $16@$17.50; cows, $9@$10.50.

HOGS—Receipts 10,000; top $20.40; bulk $19.60 @ $20.15.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per doz.	32c
Butter Fat, per lb.	47c
Spring Chickens, per pound	22c
Hides, per lb.	13c
Hens, per lb.	23c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	10c
Old Roosters, per lb.	13c

WIDOWS AND MINORS PENSIONS.

I am prepared to make applications for widows' and minors' pensions for those whose husbands and fathers served in the war with Spain and Philippine insurrection, and also widows of soldiers of the Civil War who were married prior to June 27, 1905, and also re-married widows.

WARREN L. JOHNSON. 31-6*

Old papers for sale at this office.

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WENT 75 MILES FROM ARCHANGEL

London, Sept. 3.—The Allied forces operating in the direction of Petrograd from Archangel have reached a point seventy-five miles south of the latter city, it was announced today.

Miss Lanning at Work.

Miss Myrtle Lanning has resumed her work as assistant secretary of the Red Cross. Miss Julia Denny, who took Miss Lanning's place during the latter's illness, has gone to Oklahoma City where she teaches in the public schools.

Ireland is now so prosperous that pauperism shows a big decrease, and recent reports show a lower birth rate.

Siberia, of which at the present time there is so much talk, contains nearly 5,000,000 square miles and is about forty-five times as big as the British Isles.

SCHOOL TEACHER NEEDED BRAINS.

"I never have had such a 'Godsend' come to me as when I took the first dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. I was afraid I would have to give up my school because of severe stomach, liver and bowel trouble which caused such a pressure of gas that I could not use my brain at times, and my heart would palpitate awfully. Since taking a treatment of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy a year ago, all this has disappeared." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal muceous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Co., and druggists everywhere. Adv.

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MARYVILLE, MO

BRITISH ARE STILL MAKINF BIG ADVANCE

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rests.

It is estimated that more than 10,000 Germans were captured yesterday when the British broke through the Drocourt-Queant line. The capture is a feat of the utmost military importance. The Germans fought desperately to hold the city but were hurled back after the Allies had fought their way into the western suburbs. The enemy is retiring along the whole front, Field Marshal Haig reported today. Queant has been in the hands of the British since last night, the official announcement said.

Paris, Sept. 3.—Artillery duels raged all night along the Somme front between the Oise and Aisne rivers. German raiding parties started to approach the Allied lines on the Vesle river and in the Vosges mountains but were thrown back. The Americans are fighting in the Vosges and along the Vesle.

LEE STRICKLER WRITES

Is Assigned to Headquarters Company Doing Clerical Work

In a letter to friends at the court house, Lee Strickler, formerly with the Sisson Loan & Title Co., now at Camp Joseph E. Johnston, Florida, writes:

"I had a pretty good trip coming down here. It was cloudy most of the time so was not so hot as I had anticipated. When I arrived in Jacksonville I saw a train load of boys starting for a port of embarkation. A good many are being sent from here to ports of embarkation, and many are not here very long.

"Upon arriving here I was placed in the depot brigade. I should have been there only about 24 to 48 hours, but that was a new part of the camp at that time and most of the personnel were men who had been in the service only a short time and two or three thousand men arrived from other camps about the same time, therefore I spent seventeen days there instead of one or two, and without an issue of clothing or a shot or vaccination.

"On the 12th of August I left the depot brigade and was transferred to the 28th Co., 2nd office regiment, detention camp. After being there a few days I was called before the Personnel Board again and asked if I could operate a typewriter and a few other questions, and to my great disappointment was told that I would be transferred to the permanent personnel of the non-effective Co. No. 2 for work as a steno. I was not disappointed long, however, as I found that the headquarters tent is located in a shady place only about 150 yards from the St. Johns river, and there is always a cool breeze. The river looks to me like it is about as wide, if not wider than the Mississippi where I crossed it at Memphis, Tenn. There is a paved street running by headquarters tent and I can see drilling most all day. We are permitted to eat in the non-com's mess hall, and the eats are very good. This is quite a contrast from sitting right down in the sand to eat while 'Old Sol' smiled to the tune of about 120 degrees in the shade, and no shade, or so it seemed while in the depot brigade. However, I do not think the temperature was nearly that high, but seemed so to a rookie. I guess the reason I did not like the sound of my transfer at first was only because I did not like the address, as you know the non-effective companies are nothing more or less than a ward for those afflicted with venereal diseases, but of course, the office force has nothing to do with them except as to transfers. I suppose it is needless to say that the patients do not enjoy all of our 'luxuries.' I do not know how long I shall be held on the permanent personnel of this company, but perhaps for some time.

"Three sergeants from this company were recommended for the officers' training school yesterday, and will probably go right away, so you see the rest of us shall have to twist, as the monthly report is due soon and we have never made out one, but guess we can tackle anything.

"We sometimes see aeroplanes here. The fellows surely 'cut up' some stunts for our satisfaction. They fly sidewise, loop-the-loop, fly upside down, dive nose down and tail down and all that kind of stunts.

You ought to see me washing my clothes. However, have not decided to enter into the laundry business when I get back to old Missouri, and have not yet decided to move to Florida when it is all over over there.

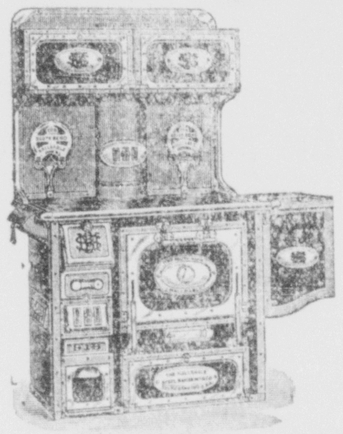
"I passed a general physical examination, so there is a pretty good chance of getting to go overseas, but perhaps not for some little time, as I would have to be transferred to an overseas company, and as I am now on the permanent personnel of this company am at present on the unavailable list for transfer.

Lad Receives Broken Arm.

Verda Feeley, the fifteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Feeley of Quitman, suffered a broken arm this morning. The accident occurred while the lad was helping others load wood onto a wagon.

Save Your Pin Money

Many dollars are burned up every year in poor stoves and ranges, and all there is to show it is poor food, unhappy stomachs and tired nerves Buy



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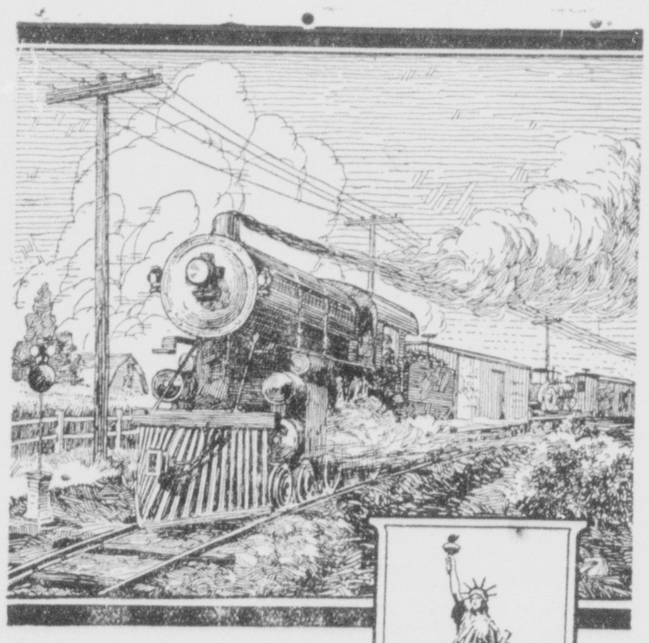

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